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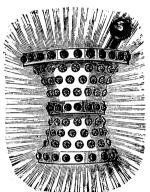
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THIS week the Chronicle-Argonaut begins a new department, which is entitled "Music and Drama." Under this head we desire to collect all musical and dramatic notes which will be of interest to college students, obtaining them from both outside and local sources. Such a department cannot fail to prove interesting, as its subject matter has hitherto been almost entirely neglected in our college publications.

T is encouraging to know that already a few persons have begun systematic training with the intention of entering the field day contests of this fall and next spring. Mild and steady practice on good days through the fall and winter will insure success. Last spring the D. A. C. men with long steady training carried off too many of the prizes; in fact it was a D. A. C. field day, and our men either did not enter the contests, or were left far behind in them. Let us work up more enthusiasm on this matter, and though at a disadvantage for want of a gymnasium, yet do the very best we can from now on, and let us see to it that the prizes are a little more evenly divided next time.

In reviewing President Angell's report, delivered to the Board of Regents last week, it is interesting to note that 28 1-10 per cent. of all the students in the literary department last year were women, and that they formed nearly 17 1-10 per cent. of the whole number of students enrolled in the University. This number is increasing all the time, and there can be no hesitation in saying that co-education, in the University of Michigan, is a success.

VERYONE should turn out and join Prof. Stanley's class in college songs. years one fault among the students of our University has been the lack of spirited singing of college songs and of songs distinctively Michigan Univer-Recently, however, thanks to the sity songs. musical, and poetical geniuses of our Professors Stanley, Gayley, Scott, and others, a great advance has been made in this direction. The class in college songs during the past two years has done much to increase the interest in this movement. We have our own U. of M. song, "The Yellow and Blue," which every U. of M. man should know, and be able to sing with a vim, as every Harvard man sings his "Fair Harvard," and every Yale man his "Here's to Good Old Yale." In after years what will bring more vividly to our memories the happy days spent here, than the singing of the old rollocking songs learned and sung so many times in the days gone by? Let every student of every department possess a copy of the songs of the Yellow and Blue, and attend Prof. Stanley's class.

#### U. OF M. 38-D. A. C. 0.

It would be hard to find a worse day for football than last Saturday. The game between the U. of M. and the D. A. C. was called for 3:30 but about two o'clock the rain began to descend in torrents and it continued to pour at intervals throughout the game. As a consequence, the grounds were as slippery as glass and accurate work was

impossible. Notwithstanding the clouds, a very respectable number of spectators braved the weather and their sympathies seemed about equally divided, the ever present U. of M. yell frequently coming to the front.

As soon as the teams lined up, it became very evident that the D. A. C's were no match for our boys in size and as soon as the ball was put in play, their inferiority in team work and playing ability was likewise manifest. To be sure, it is no joke to face five men like Chadbourne, Malley, Trainor, Sunderland, and Sherman, but there is only one conclusion to be drawn from the result of the U. of M's. wedge rushes, and that is that the D. A. C. are "not in it." One D. A. C. man was heard to say, "that shoving isn't foot-ball," and he was right, it was slaughter. It is safe to say that if the ground had been dry, our boys would never have stopped scoring. Jewett's play was a revelation to the Detroiters and his work was fully up to his standard. The teamed played much better than against Albion and put up a game that ought to win in any kind of a fair contest. The ball was never on their side of the field but once. The most satisfactory feature of the contest was the gentlemanly game that our boys played and the excellent control they manifested over themselves. Anderson, Albion's half back, who has been adopted by the D. A. C., kept begging the umpire to watch Trainor, whom he seemed to fear particularly. When during the second half, somebody kicked Chadbourne's shins he kicked back. The umpire did not see it, but hearing the D. A. C. man yell, he disqualified Trainor on general principles. There is a large suspicion that Dingwall's kick in the stomach was a ruse to hide the fact that he was completely winded. It is certain that no U. of M. man kicked him intentionally. At any rate, it is hard to see where the "ruffianly conduct" of which the D. A. C. men talk, came in. S. T. Miller, M. M. A., acted as umpire, and after a good deal of objection on the part of the Detroiters, Van Nortwick, '93, was chosen referee. A detailed account of the game is unnecessary since it was simply a series of rushes, touchdowns and trials at goals by the U. of M., the latter generally unsuccessful by reason of the rain, which prevented any brilliant playing.

University and help arouse the, let us hope, only dormant athletic interest here.

#### THE GLEE CLUB.

Among the many institutions organized and supported by the students of the University, there are none more popular and successful both at home and abroad than the Glee and Banjo Clubs. The accession of Professor Stanley to the directorship and the addition of the Banjo Club, placed last year's programs on a level with, if not above, the best efforts of similar organizations. This year another important step has been taken, in that the students have taken upon themselves the business management of the organization. Last spring a committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. O. C. Smith, Jameson, Wilhartz, and Ballard, to draw up a constitution. This was done, and under the new constitution, W. B. Ramsay, lit '90, has been elected manager. He will be assisted and to some extent guided by an executive committee, consisting of Messrs. Alexander, Wilhartz, Peters, and Ballard. There has been a musical committee of one from each part appointed also, Messrs. Cheney, Cross, Spalding and Joy. Professor Stanley has again been chosen director. Mr. Jameson has been elected president of the Club position of secretary and treasurer is to be filled by the manager, if the latter be a student, if not, then it is to be held by an assistant manager. The librarian is Mr. Werden. It is probable that the preparatory work of the clubs will be somewhat lightened by reducing the number of rehearsals, probably to three a week.

The members of the Glee Club, as at present organized, are as follows:

FIRST TENORS. SECOND TENORS. J. A. Jameson, lit '91, W. Wilhartz, lit '91, H. Richardson, lit '93, E. Harrington, lit '92, A. Cross, law '91. E. Cheney, lit '92, E. Peters, lit '92, W. L. Webster, dent '93.

SECOND BASSES. FIRST BASSES. C. J. Alexander, P. G., H. F. Werden, lit '94, E. W. Walter, lit '92, J. L. Mitchell, law '91, J. O. Ballard, medic '91, W. W. Morriss, law '92, E. B. Spalding, dent '92, H. M. Joy, medic '93.

Henry Haug, director of the Guitar and Banjo The game ought to be very satisfactory to the | Club, wishes to take out a club consisting of twelve men, five banjos, four guitars, two banjeaurines, and one mandolin. There is no lack of good material.

The difficulty with taking twelve men on the Banjo Club is that it will make such a large number to carry on an extended trip. There are only two men the in Glee Club who are members also of the Banjo Club. This, with the necessary equipment of the special car, conductor, porter, and cook, will give a total of twenty-nine men, considerably larger than last year. It is probable, in event of there being no more men found who can take places on both clubs, that one banjo and one guitar will be dropped.

A preliminary trip has practically been decided upon, to include visits to Saginaw, Bay City, Toledo, and Ypsilanti. The route of the annual tour, which will be made during spring vacation, has not yet been definitely settled. The management has a large number of offers under consideration, and concerts will in all likelihood be given at St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Des Moines, and Chicago.

There was a good deal of doubt as to whether it would be better to take an eastern trip or a western, but considering the fact that the larger part of the students are from the west and that very many of the alumni are also located there, the western tour was decided upon.

It has been also definitely resolved to offer prizes, open to all persons in the University, for the best comic songs. This plan, needless to say, is a very good one, and there is no reason why the result should not be highly creditable, as the U. of M. has shown before now its ability in that line. All songs received in the competition will of course be retained. Perhaps it would be a good plan not to limit the competition to comic songs alone, but to throw it open to all classes of songs, with the understanding that they were for the especial use of the U. of M. Glee Club.

Finally, the club having a good balance on the right side of the ledger, starts off in better financial condition than ever before. The prospects for success are very bright and let every friend of the U. of M. contribute toward their realization.

#### IN MEMORIAM.

Omicron Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon is once more called upon to mourn the loss of one of her brotherhood. On July 7th, 1890, Brother Frederic Walter Crane, passed away at Dallas, Texas. Brother Crane was a member of the Class of 1890, and, at the time of his death, had but just entered upon his life work.

We, the active members of the Chapter, wish to express to his bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy, and to pay this insufficient tribute of respect and affection to our departed brother.

The honor and prosperity of Omicron were ever dear to him, and the memory of his manly character will long be cherished in her halls.

In token of the respect in which we hold his memory, we shall drape our badges for thirty days and also send copies of this expression of our feeling to the college papers and to our alumni.

HALL OF OMICRON, ANN ARBOR, Cocober 18, 1890.

#### OMICRON PHI.

Ralph Robinson Bradley, James Fleming Breakey, Harry Conant Bulkley, James Edward Ferris, William J. Le Hunt Lyster, David Williams McMorran, William Robbins Murray, Frederic Sherman Porter, George Griffin Prentis, Alfred Day Rathbone, Jr., Frederic Lang Sherwin, Frank Carpenter Smith, Harry Tyler Smith, Richard Root Smith, Carl Cleghorn Warden, Edward Dana Wickes.

At the last meeting of the Omicron Phi the above were elected to active membership.

JAMES M. CROSBY,

GEO. P. CODD, Secretary. President.

#### POST-GRADUATE LAWS.

About twenty of last year's graduating class in the law department have returned to study for a master's degree. This fact is encouraging for the Seats will be assigned in the 16th and 17th plan of extending the law course to three years, Century History Course, next Tuesday morning, which will in all probability be done very soon. A Superior Club Court has been organized by these post graduate laws, and the following officers elected: Chief Justice, E. F. Johnson; Associate Justices, M. F. Griffin and D. B. Richards; Clerk, R. Bennett; Deputy Clerk, A. A. Dorn; Sheriff, S. Ozawa. An inferior court was also organized, of which Mr. Thompson is Chief Justice, and Mr. Lynne is Associate Justice.

#### CHORAL UNION.

Every student in the U. of M. should realize the fact, that it is in the hands of the students to make the University renowned not only for its literary standing, but also for its artistic culture. Few organizations which contribute each in its special field to bring into prominence this function, are at the present time appealing for support for their undertakings. When the high character of the attractions they offer is considered, it does not seem possible that the needed funds will be withheld. The Students' Lecture Association has been in the field for some years, and can point to many successful seasons; but possibly never has this organization presented such an array of able lecturers as this season.

The University Musical Society is no less a student organization than its older rival. We say rival, but fortunately there is no rivalry, but a generous spirit of emulation between the two, which leads each to rejoice at the other's success. It is no exaggeration to say that neither wishes to succeed at the expense of the other, and it is a pleasant indication of the steady and sure growth of the true university spirit, to see the cordial manner with which the two bodies work for each other. Some of the most enthusiastic canvassers for the Lecture Association last year, were at the same time doing excellent work for the University Musical Society. In this article, however, we wish to enforce the claim of the latter society, for the first concert in the series is to be given Nov. 18th, and the definite engagement of the finest and most expensive concert organizations in this country depends upon the sale of Association tickets. While the success of the last season's series is an indication of what may be expected, the managers of the Choral Union—(a branch of the University Musical Society)—desire to offer the finest series | velopments.

of concerts ever heard in the State. When the students realize that this, in connection with the course of last year, would mean the establishment of the reputation of the University of Michigan as a musical center, we are confident that the number of tickets which should be sold, will be taken within the next two weeks. The sale of 2,000 tickets will give the holders of these tickets a course of seven concerts of the highest grade. Adele Aus der Ohe, assisted by Miss Buckley, of Detroit,—her first appearance since her return from Paris and London-Nov. 1st; the New York Philharmonic Club, Dec. 10th; Choral Union with orchestra, in February; Arthur Foote, Detroit Philharmonic Club and the Ladies' Chorus of the Choral Union, date to be announced; Boston Symphony Orchestra, two concerts in May; and a grand performance of the greatest work of this generation, Gounod's "Redemption," for the first time in the State, by the Choral Union and Orchestra, late in May. Think of such a course at approximately 30 cents per concert! The Choral Union is now larger than any similar organization in Detroit, and the largest chorus but one in the State. The quality of its work will be an improvement over last year, and it bids fair to become celebrated. This is no idle talk, for already the most exclusive musical publication in this country has asked to be allowed to print its programs in its annual review, thus placing it in line with what its editor considers the leading concert organizations in the country. Tickets may be secured of the canvassers, or of Profs. Stanley, de Pont, in the U. of M., and Wines in the High School. Secure your tickets, \$2.00 for the course, for no evening tickets will be sold, except on conditions printed on tickets. And as the canvassers report progress, let each and all take an active interest in seeing the number grow, so that when the 2,000 mark is reached we may all feel that we have secured an end which will make every person in the University proud.

We must make our University looked up to, as the center of all intellectual and artistic impulses, and make Ann Arbor truly the Athens of the West, for Athens was not alone the center of intellectual culture, it was the city within whose walls, the arts of Greece attained the highest developments. Tickets can be obtained of E. H. Smith, H. B. McGraw, J. R. Effinger, W. F. Hubbard, S. M. Trevellick, P. W. Ross, W. C. Quarles, Walter Slocum, W. H. Dorrance, W. C. Tichenor, E. N. Bullock, Earl Peters, lits; J. H. Rishmiller, medic; A. M. Cross, law; R. S. Tidrick, pharmic; O. F. Ingalls, dent.

#### NOTICE.

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#### THE TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The annual fall tournament of the Tennis Association takes place this atternoon, and the drawings have resulted as follows:

#### SECOND CLASS SINGLES.

1 Bye—H. G. Effinger. 2 Bye—Geo. J. Prentiss. 3 Bye—M. Wade. 4 Bye—C. M. Church. 5. W. C. Tichenor. 6. H. W. Suydam. 7. H. J. Hatch. 8. F. W. Collgrove. 9 Bye—E. W. Dow. 10 Bye—D. Cheever.

#### FIRST CLASS SINGLES.

S. Sherman plays winner of first match. 2. W. F. Slocum vs. 3. T. B. Cooley. 4. Ralph Stone vs. 5. Geo. P. Codd. 6. E. M. Smith vs. 7. W. Shaw. 8. A. S. Brown vs. 9. B. E. Page.

#### FIRST CLASS DOUBLES.

Codd and Cooley play Page and Slocum. Effinger and Collgrove play Van Inwagen and Burns. Shaw and Brown play Sherman and Dow.

Following is the list of prizes:

FIRST CLASS SINGLES.

First prize, Tate Special Racket. Second prize, Tennis Shoes.

SECOND CLASS SINGLES.

First prize, Slocum Racket.

Second prize, Tennis Shirt.

DOUBLES.

First prize, Cane.

Second prize, choice of Cane, Pipe or Gold Pen. The Tennis Association is in fine condition this

fall; over sixty students have already purchased membership tickets. An effort will soon be made to add several much needed clay courts to those now in use.

The Association promises an exceptionally fine tournament for next spring, and the canvassing for prizes will be begun long beforehand.

#### ABOUT COLLEGE.

Senior Independents held a meeting in Alpha Nu Hall Thursday afternoon.

The class in beginning Hebrew numbers just eight, the advanced class three.

The delightful odor of the burning leaves from the Campus need only be smelt to be appreciated.

Mr. Levi, it is said, calls on each member of his class in beginning French at least seven times in a recitation.

The subjects for the theses in History of Philosophy were given out Wednesday. There are forty four of them.

All students desiring to become members of the Chequamegon Orchestra are requested to apply to Mr. McOmber at the postoffice.

"Elevated Railway Construction in St. Louis," was the subject of a paper read before the Engineering Society last evening by B. L. Greene.

Probably '92 will not be so free with her class honors, when an election is held, as to bestow its highest office upon a member of another department.

The officers of the Geological Society are: J. E. Church, pres.; C. L, Blodgett, sec. Miss Patterson read a paper before the society last evening on Boulder Rocks.

The Adelphi Literary Society presents the following program for this evening: Music, Miss Davis; Declamation, W. H. Dellenback; Essay, Mr. Joslyn; Music, Miss Davis. Debate—"Resolved, That the pension bill as passed by Congress is commendable." Affirmative, E. H. Edwards; negative, W. E. Griffin.

And now the Prohibition Club has gone into politics. Yesterday evening at a meeting of the club, several of the members made speeches on, "His name is Turner."

The large number in the Choral Union has made it necessary that it meet in the Chapel and not in Room 24, as formerly. Seats have been assigned to the members.

Ashley Rogers, who entered with '92, has been seeing old friends here the past week. Tuesday evening he met the students from his home, Oak Park, Ill., at Mrs. S. M. Gayley Browne's, on Monroe St.

The Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist church has bought the property across from the church, on the corner of State and Washington streets. The intention of the Guild is soon to erect a fine building for the use of its members and the students.

The U. of M. Bicycle Club will have a road race to Ypsi and back Saturday, Nov. 1st. A meeting of the club was held this morning to complete arrangements. It is desired that all wheelmen enter that can. Three good prizes are offered.

This is the third year of the Geological Society's existence. The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year: President, J. E. Church; Vice-President, Miss Miller; Secretary, C. L. Blodgett; Executive Committee, Mr. Church, Miss Patterson and Mr. Stone.

Pres. Angell made a few remarks in chapel Tuesday that might well be mentioned here as reminders; that smoking is not allowed in the main hall, public sparring and boxing matches are forbidden, and any disturbance of meetings or rushing in the hall must be considered as disor derly conduct.

The Palladium prizes, which will be announced next week are as follows: Full page design, 1st prize, \$15; 2nd prize, \$10. This design may be for title page, fraternity page, college organizations or for any department. Song, \$10; poem, \$10. These prizes are open to alumni and undergraduates, of all the departments of the University and it is hoped that a large number will compete for them. Profs. Walter, Stanley, and Kelsey have consented to act as judges upon the literary productions. Competition will be open until Jan. 7, 1891.

Rev. J. M. Gelston of the Presbyterian church, begins next Sunday evening a series of discourses entitled "The Story of Creation and its Gospel Analogy."

Membership tickets for the tennis association may be obtained of the following: J. M. Crosby, F. R. Ashley, H. B. McGraw, W. B. Ramsay, E. Dow, S. Sherman and J. A. Jameson.

The membership of the Choral Union has reached its limit, 225, and it has been found necessary to put those passing the exam. upon a waiting list, which is to fill all vacancies.

Granger, on the campus, accosting an upper classman, "Where does the Freshman class meet at this hour? I want to look up my daughter and talk to the teachers."—Upper classman fainted. Fact!

Last Thursday evening the young ladies of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority gave a farewell party to Miss Alice Damon, at the home of Miss Jessie Penny, on North University Ave. Progressive Salmagundi was the order of the evening.

A large number of the laws and other students with Republican tendencies met at the law building yesterday evening and went in a body to the opera house to hear Congressman Burrows discuss present political questions.

Recently in one of the Blackstone quizzes in the Law Department, Prof. Knowlton had occasion to inform a junior that England had no written constitution, whereupon the junior said, inquiringly, "Then I suppose they go by Blackstone?"

The Northwestern University has been following the lead of the U. of M. in its complications over college journalism. After an extended struggle over *The Northwestern*, the publication of the literary societies, the old management was confined to the literary societies, and now the Independents have started *The Northwestern World*, to be run as a partisan organ in opposition to the old Northwestern.

The Round Table Whist Club met last Monday evening at the Psi U house, electing Wilhelm Miller, President, and Richard R. Smith, Secretary. The club is composed of the following members: R. R. Smith, A. D. Rathbone, P. L. Marshall, W. J. Lyster, R. L. Parmly, Wilhelm Miller, H. C. Bulkley, George Prentis, Carl Warden, J. E. Ferris, H. T. Smith, C. E. Lightner.

A new chemical society is about to be organ ized.

The Bicycle Club is trying to get up a roadrace.

Professor Spalding will lead the chapel exercises to morrow morning.

The Foley Guild is booming, thirty members were added in a single bunch last week.

There are 74,599 volumes in the University library, an increase of 4,558 during the year.

Sixty-three new members were voted in at the meeting of the Choral Union last Tuesday evening.

Professor Trueblood gave a recital before the Epworth League of the Methodist church in Detroit last evening.

The other morning at chapel "Prexy" gave some kindly words of admonition in regard to smoking in the halls.

John H. Grant, '82, of Manistee, Michigan, was a guest at the Beta Theta Pi house during the greater part of the week past.

R. P. Moore, S. B. Grubbs, I. W. Durfee, W. C. Conant, F. Jerome and W. Platt are in Chicago, attending the Delta Upsilon convention.

The people who have been in the habit of walking to Ypsi will soon be able to make the round trip for fifteen cents. Electricity is going to do it.

Freshie's Pa.—"You'll soon write, won't you, Henry, from college?" Freshie.—"Oh, yes, pop, I don't think the money you've given me will last long."

Professor de Pont wishes it to be well understood that after October 30th, no more applications for advanced credits will be received by the faculty.

Mr. Campbell, the new instructor in chemistry has not been able to meet his classes during the past week, owing to illness. He is at present at home in Detroit.

A site for the proposed Wesleyan Guild Hall was purchased this week at the corner of State and Washington streets. It is proposed to erect a building soon.

The constitution of the Northern National League was ratified by the U. of M. Orational Association last Wednesday evening. All persons possessing an Academic degree will be excluded from contests.

In accordance with their pleasant annual custom, the young ladies of the sophomore class gave a "spread" to those of the freshman class last night at Nickels' hall. Music, dancing, and refreshments contributed to make the affair a delightful one.

The next time the Adelphi meet they will attempt to decide whether the pension legislation as passed by Congress is commendable. E. H. Edwards will go on the supposition that it is all O. K. while W. E. Griffin will adopt the other extreme as a basis for his arguments.

Rev. J. T. Sunderland will speak next Sunday evening on "Real Infidelity," and in the morning upon "James Martineau," the distinguished English preacher, scholar, and author. Students' Bible Class at noon. Subject of lesson, "Paradise and the Fall; Legends of Paradise among many Peoples; the Real Origin of Sin."

The Beta Theta Pi Club of Michigan was incorporated by the Secretary of State, Tuesday, with a capital stock of \$30,000, for the purpose of building a fraternity house in Ann Arbor. The directors of the enterprise are Junius E. Beal, J. J. Goodyear, J. H. Tufts and F. L. Parker, of Ann Arbor, Wm. A. Moore and Levi T. Griffin, of Detroit, and J. H. Grant, of Manistee.

At the Rugby meeting this morning the following officers were elected: President, H. Van Deventer; Vice-President, Geo. Wisner; Secretary, Shaw; Treasurer, R. C. Thayer; Directors, Stone and Marshall. All of these men together with Manager Codd will form the board of directors. The new constitution we omit from lack of space.

One of the most valuable recent additions to the University library is a box of about 400 volumes from Germany, unpacked Tuesday at the library. The works are chiefly of a scientific nature and include a series of reports from the Royal Prussian Academy of Science, thirty volumes of Jacobi's German Mathematical Works, some chemical treatises of Berzelius, and the Berlin Astronomical Year Book. Important additions were also made to the Goethe and Shakespeare collections and to the works on Greek Inscription, by this importatiou.

Single and associate membership tickets for the Choral Union series of concerts were placed on sale at Calkins' drug store on State street, and at the First National Bank this morning.

Last Wednesday morning the freshmen posted an acceptance to the sophomore challenge for a tug of war, on the wall of the main hall. It had not been in place a half hour when it was stolen by some sympathizer of '93. Freshman Chadbourne was then sent for and with the aid of his six feet four, the sign was replaced on the wall, far out of reach of anyone who might be supposed to have evil designs upon it. A guard of freshmen kept close watch of the precious document until the fact that it had been posted was generally known, when the vigilance of the verdant class was relinquished, and in a surprisingly short space of time, '94's acceptance had disappeared, probably to adorn the study of some enterprising sophomore.

#### MUSIC AND DRAMA.

In the way of introducing this department we will say that it is our intention to discuss all matters pertaining to Music and Drama; to give an unbiased opinion of all plays that may come under our notice; to keep our readers informed concerning the Dramatic, Glee and Banjo Clubs of the U. of M., Glee Clubs of other colleges and the Choral Union.

We feel confident that this column will satisfy a long felt want.

There was a large number of candidates for the Banjo Club. The successful ones have been notified and a temporary club formed. Practice begins immediately under the direction of Henry Haug.

In the dramatic line we will hereafter try to publish each Saturday the list of attractions for the following week. We were unable to procure the Opera House list for this issue.

The membership of the U. of M. Dramatic Club has been increased, and rehearsals begin soon. The club will make a selection next meeting and hope to present a piece this semester.

The Glee Club is now permanently organized. Prof. Stanley's opinion is that the club contains better material than ever before. A large number of new pieces have been ordered and altogether we shall have one of the finest College Clubs ever formed.

Miss Adele Aus der Ohe is to appear Nov. 1st. in the first of the Choral Union Concerts. The Chicago Herald remarks,—"Miss Aus der Ohe possesses musical talent even more extraordinary than her unpronounceable name." What can we add to this?

The Choral Union will surpass by far its former efforts in the line of concerts. The average price of admission will be about thirty cents, including two concerts by the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

The Choral Union has two hundred and twentyfive members, and is the largest chorus in the state, with a single exception. Grand Rapids boasts of the largest, one of three hundred.

The Harvard Glee Club will not make a tour this year. The faculty objects.

During the first part of last week Robson played the Henrietta in Detroit. The play, written by Bronson Howard, is conceded by all critics to be the finest American production. Robson himself is a peculiar man; the only star who does not have his name printed in large type at the beginning or end of his players. During the partnership of Robson & Crane, it is said, they said nothing of each other outside of the theatre. The part of Bertie Vanalstyne suits one so eccentric as Robson. Mr. Geo. Woodward plays Nicholas Vanalstyne, the part originally played by Crane. Woodward takes the part admirably.

In the dramatic line we will hereafter try to troit: My Aunt Bridget, Oct. 27-Nov. 1; Old blish each Saturday the list of attractions for Homestead, Nov. 3-8.

#### ROMAN ARCHÆOLOGY AND LIFE.

Subjects in the voluntary work in Roman antiquities have been chosen by the students in the Horace classes as follows:

#### SECTION I.

THE ROMAN FAMILY-Mr. E. L. Mason, Nov. 11.

THE ROMAN HOME LIFE-Miss E Fountain, Nov. 18.

THE ROMAN DRESS-Miss R. Anderson, Nov. 25.

THE ROMAN RELIGION-Mr. J. B. Hornung, Dec. 2.

LUXURY AMONG THE ROMANS-Mr. E. E. Taylor, Dec. 9.

HISTORY OF THE ROMAN LAW TO THE TIME OF JUSTINIAN-Mr. E. B. Gower, Dec. 16.

HISTORY AND INFLUENCE OF THE ROMAN LAW SINCE THE TIME OF JUSTINIAN-Mr. L. L. Galbraith, Jan. 8.

ROMAN BOOKS AND THEIR PUBLICATION - Mr. T. L. McKean,

THE ROMAN CATACOMBS-Miss A. M. Wiley, Jan. 15.

THE LIFE OF THE EARLY CHRISTIANS AT ROME-Mr. E. J. Dennen, Jan. 20.

EARLY CHRISTIAN ART-Mr. W. F. Slocum, Jan. 22.

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE ROMAN CIVILIZATION TO THE GREEK-Mr. J. L. Logan, Jan. 27.

THE CAUSES OF ROME'S DECLINE-Mr. C. L. Blodgett, Jan. 29.

#### SECTION II.

THE ROMAN HOUSE-Mrs. M. Parker, Nov. 18.

THE ROMAN FAMILY-Miss M. F. Power, Nov. 20.

THE ROMAN HOME-LIFE-Miss F. H. Pope, Nov. 25.

THE ROMAN DRESS-Mr. F. F. Briggs, Dec. 2.

ROMAN EDUCATION—Mr. C. C. Benedict, Dec. 4.

C. C. Warren, Dec. 17.

THE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AMONG THE ROMANS-Mr. M. I. Heidingsfeld, Dec. 9.

ROMAN PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS—Miss M. Parsons, Dec. 10. THE ROMAN MONETARY SYSTEM—Mr. G. B. Dygert, Dec. 11.

ROMAN PUBLIC LIFE-Mr. H. G. Cleaveland, Lec. 16.
HISTORY OF ROMAN LAW TO THE TIME OF JUSTINIAN-Mr.

HISTORY AND INFLUENCE OF ROMAN LAW SINCE THE TIME OF JUSTINIAN-Mr. L. G. Whitehead, Dec. 18.

ROMAN LAW AS A SYSTEM OF HUMAN RIGHTS-Mr. S. D. Kinne Jan. 6.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY ROME UNDER THE EMPIRE-Mr. E. C. Peters, Jan. 7.

ROMAN PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION—Mr. L. T Cole, Jan. 8, THE KNOWLEDGE OF MUSIC POSSESSED BY THE GREEKS AND ROMANS—Mr. C. F. Th. mas. Jan. 13,

ROMAN MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—Miss B. A. Lewis, Jan. 14. ROMAN ARCHITECTURE, ORIGIN CHARACTER, MATERIALS, ORDERS—Mr. H. Fox, Jan. 15.

THEMES OF ANCIENT ART—Miss M. B. Bedell, Jan. 20. ROMAN PAINTING—Miss E. A. Campbell, Jan. 21.

THE ROMAN CATACOMBS - Miss T. H. Williams, Jan. 22.

THE LIFE OF THE EARLY CHRISTIANS AT HOME-Miss J. B. P. Fleischer, Jan. 27.

THE SURVIVALS FROM ANCIENT ROMAN LIFE IN MODERN ITALY—Miss C. B. Barnett, Jan. 29

#### SECTION III.

THE ROMAN HOUSE—Miss J. Eddy, Nov. 18.

THE ROMAN HOME-LIFE—Miss L. E. Clemens, Nov. 20.

ROMAN EDUCATION—Miss A. H. Durfee, Nov. 25.

SLAVERY AMONG THE ROMANS—Mr. L. S. Garwood, Dec. 2.

THE ROMAN ART OF WAR—Mr. C. W. Stratton, Dec. 4.

THE ROMAN MONETARY SYSTEM—Mr. I. C. Belden, Dec. 9.

ROME IN THE MIDDLE AGES—Mr. W. W. Bishop, Dec. 10.

ROMAN PUBLIC LIFE—Mr. A. A. Pearson, Dec. 11.

ROMAN LAW AS A SYSTEM OF HUMAN RIGHTS—Mr. A. D. Rich, Dec. 16.

ROMAN PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION-Mr. E. M. Moisman, Dec. 17.

ROMAN BOOKS AND THEIR PUBLICATION—Miss K. S. Alvord,

THE KNOWLEDGE OF MUSIC POSSESSED BY THE GREEKS AND ROMANS—Miss I. McRae, Jan. 6.

THEMES OF ANCIENT ART-Miss G. K. Duffy, Jan. 7.

ROMAN PAINTING-Mr. E. S. Beck, Jan. 8.

ROMAN PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS-Mr. F. D. Green, Jan. 13.

VIEW OF THE CITY ROME IN THE TIME OF AUGUSTUS-Miss M. Colver, Jan. 14.

ROMAN CATACOMBS-Miss G. D. Worrall, Jan. 15.

LIFE OF THE EARLY CHRISTIANS AT ROME-Miss M. J. Jackson, Jan. 20.

THE ROMAN RELIGION-Mr. B. F. Buck, Jan. 21.

INDEBTEDNESS OF ROMAN CIVILIZATION TO THE GREEK-Miss C. Hamilton, Jan. 22.

CAUSES OF ROME'S DECLINE—Mr. W. D Baker, Jan. 27.

CONTRIBUTIONS OF ROME TO MODERN CIVILIZATION—Miss R. G. Bagley, Jan. 29.

#### SECTION IV.

THE ROMAN HOUSE-Miss A. D. Cramer, Nov. 11.

THE ROMAN FAMILY-Miss C. Goldstone, Nov. 12.

THE ROMAN HOME LIFE-Miss E. G. Short, Nov. 13.

THE ROMAN DRESS-Miss V. Wallace, Nov 14.

THE ROMAN RELIGION-Miss H. O Staufft, Nov. 18.

ROMAN EDUCATION—Mr. N. Minoda, Nov. 19.

THE LAND QUESTION IN ANCIENT ITALY-Mr. G. H. Stone, Nov. 20.

THE TRADES IN ANCIENT ROME- Miss E. C. Gibson, Nov. 21.
THE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AMONG THE ROMANS-Mr. H.
D. Haskins. Nov. 25.

LUXURY AMONG THE ROMANS—Miss M. E. Caldwell, Dec. 2. ROMAN PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS—Mr. I. K. Friedman, Dec. 3.

THE ROMAN ART OF WAR-Mr. C. W. Southworth, Dec. 4.

HISTORY OF THE ROMAN LAW TO THE TIME OF JUSTINIAN-Mr. H. Pam, Dec. 5.

THE ROMAN LAW AS A SYSTEM OF HUMAN RIGHTS-Mr. F. P. Graves, Dec. 9.

HISTORY AND INFLUENCE OF THE ROMAN LAW SINCE THE TIME OF JUSTINIAN-Mr. S. S. Harris, Dec. 10.

THE GOVERNMENT OF ROME IN THE TIME OF THE REPUBLIC-Mr. H. A. Friedman, Dec. 11.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY ROME UNDER THE EMPIRE-Mr. H. D. Curtis, Dec. 16.

ROMAN BOOKS AND THEIR PUBLICATION—Miss M. H. Chad-

THE ROMAN MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS-Miss F. A. Beebe,

ROMAN ARCHITECTURE, ORIGIN, CHARACTER, MATERIALS, AND ORDERS-Mr. J. S. Hurd, Dec. 19.

ROMAN RELIGIOUS ARCHITECTURE—Mr. C. C. Burns, Jan. 7.
ROMAN ARCHITECTURE OF TRANSIT—Mr. J. J. Brinckerhoff,
Jan. 8.

THEMES OF ANCIENT ART-Miss J. V. Penny, Jan. 9.

ROMAN SCULPTURE-Mr. H. H. Walker, Jan. 13.

ROMAN PAINTING-Miss D. D. Elmer, Jan. 14.

ROMAN MOSAICS-Miss E. L. Hulbert, Jan. 15.

ROMAN POTTERY—Mr. J. C. Loomis, Jan. 16.

ROMAN GLYPTIC-Miss I. M. Muma, Jan. 20.

VIEW OF THE CITY ROME IN THE TIME OF AUGUSTUS-Mr. P. W. Ross, Jan. 20.

ROME IN THE MIDDLE AGES—Mr. W. C. Tichenor, Jan. 22.
THE REMAINS OF ANCIENT ARCHITECTURE IN MODERN
ROME—Mr. J. P. Bird, Jan. 27.

THE ROMAN CATACOMBS-Mr. E. C. Warriner, Jan. 28.

THE LIFE OF THE EARLY CHRISTIANS AT ROME-Mr. C. A. Bowen, Jan. 29.

THE SURVIVALS FROM ANCIENT ROMAN LIFE IN MODERN ITALY—Miss C. F. Bronson, Jan. 30.

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE ROMAN CIVILIZATION TO THE GREEK-Miss L. B. Southmayd, Feb. 3.

THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF ROME TO MODERN CIVILIZATION—Mr. W. H. Merner, Feb. 4.

#### ATHLETICS.

The eleven is playing in Albion to-day.

The freshmen having accepted '93's challenge to a tug of war on Nov. 8, work will begin at once in choosing fifty picked men.

During the past week the clay tennis courts on the campus have been reserved between the hours of 4 and 6, for those who entered for to-day's tournament.

their foot-ball manager and are fast becoming proficient in their work. But few of the regular team has yet been selected. Among the candidates are Messrs. Shaw, Dunbaugh, Taber, Leighley, Winn, Rosenburg, Eberly, Grant, Allen, Thompson, Flint, and Bunnet.

There will be a game of foot-ball in Detroit with Cornell, Nov. 15, if the Rugby Association will guarantee the expenses of the Cornell team. They will amount to between three or four hundred dollars. To insure this game it is necessary that a large number of the students go down to Detroit to witness it. Arrangements have been made, whereby if three hundred go, the fare for the round trip will be but seventy-five cents. All can go at this rate and be glad of the opportunity.

At a meeting of the foot-ball captains of the different classes and departments Wednesday evening, at 85 E. Washington St., it was decided to arrange a series of scheduled games for the championship of the college. The classes represented were '94 lit, '92 law, and '92 and '93 dents, and the schedule was arranged with these four. It was decided that if any other classes desired to enter for the championship that they could play the required number of games with each class after the schedule was finished. The games arranged were as follows:

Oct. 27-'92 law vs. '93 dent.

Oct. 29-'92 dent vs. '94 lit.

Oct. 31-'92 dent vs. '93 dent.

Nov. 3-'94 lit vs. '92 law.

Nov. 5-'92 law vs. '92 dent.

Nov. 7-'94 lit vs. '93 dent.

Twenty five minutes halves. The games are to commence at 4:15 sharp, and it was expressly | \$25 to the writer of the best story of College Life, agreed that if any class was not on the field at to be written by an Undergraduate or Alumnus of 4:30, the delinquent team should forfeit the game. any American University. The story is to contain All ties are to be played off. This is the first inter- not more than 9,000 and not less than 1,000 words

class foot ball league that was ever formed in the college, and the success of the 'Varsity team depends mainly on this new venture, as the real material of the school will not be developed until they have had some way of showing their work. It is a plan that is adopted by all eastern colleges, and it is in this way that they obtain the high degree of proficiency which they have reached. Let everybody turn in and support their class teams.

Roger Sherman has been appointed captain of The '92 laws have appointed Ralph Stone as the '94 foot ball team and he is now hard at work training the eleven. The candidates who have thus far reported are as follows: Horner, Wheeler, Brown, Rathbone, Ward, de Pont, Shaw, Chad bourne, Jewett, and McGurren. With such material as this to choose from, '94 promises to hustle the other classes in the race for championship. Mr. Sherman has set Monday's, Wednesday's and Friday's at 3:30 P. M. for the time of practice.

Under the efficient management of Messrs. Van Nortwick and Bishop, '93's foot-ball team is fast developing into formibable shape. The daily practice is being rigidly carried out. Among those who have thus far reported for work are Messrs. Hart, Griffin, Southworth, Denham, Parker, Osborn, Miller, G. H. Miller, Hoockway, Whitehead, Nicholson, Taylor, Crummer, and Hutchinson, and with such material as this, the sophomore eleven bids fair to come out at the top of the heap. It is earnestly requested that all members desirous of obtaining a place on the team shall report for duty regularly, as it is only by constant practice that the team can learn to play.

#### LITERARY NOTES.

Houghton, Mifflin & Co. announce the early publication of Prof. A. C. McLaughlin's Life of Lewis Cass in the American Statesman Series. The same publishers announce the publication of "The Art of Play-writing" by Prof. Alfred Hennequin.

The University Mayazine offers a prize of

and be sent to the *Magazine* on or before Dec. 1st, 1890.

We have upon our table a number of recently issued books, the most important of which we hope to notice more fully in the near future. Among them are a Guide to the Literature of Aesthetics by Profs. Gayley and Scott; a discussion of the Veto Power, by Edward Campbell Mason, Instructor in Political Economy in Harvard, being No. 1 of the Harvard Historical Monographs; Selections from Heine's Poems, by Prof. White, of Cornell; Statistics of Railways in the United States, by Prof. H. C. Adams.

#### EXCHANGES.

The present enrollment at Cornell University is 1314.

The trustees of Lehigh University have voted the college a new physical laboratory at a cost of \$100,000.

Henry Gage has increased his gift to Cornell of \$60,000 to \$200,000 for the establishment of a chair in philosophy.

The most handsomely endowed college in this country is Columbia, with Harvard second. Their endowments are \$9,000,000 and \$6,853,000 respectively.

Harvard Freshman travelling abroad: A ticket for New York, please.

Ticket Agent: .What class?

Harvard Freshman (reluctantly): Oh, Freshman class.

President Gilman, of Johns Hopkins, will resume his duties at the opening of the university year in October. He has been absent for a year in Europe and Asia.

The church was burning. Flames of fire
Fanned by the east wind's fiendish ire
From door and window broke,
And, as he watched the curling wreaths
Mount up to heaven from spire and eaves,
He murmured "Holy smoke."

-Brunonian.

Twenty-five received the degree of Ph. D. at Johns Hopkins this year.

Amherst's new class, like that of Williams, is smaller than that of last year, thus proving exceptions to the general large increase in other eastern colleges. The new president of Amherst, Dr. Merrill E. Gates, will assume his new duties in October.

The Collegiate Alumnæ Association, embracing such colleges as Vassar, Wellesley, and Smith, have established an European Fellowship for foreign study and travel. The first recipient is Miss Louisa Richardson, A. M., a graduate of Boston University.

It is surprising to find so many college presidents who are under thirty-five years of age. Among them are the following: Bashford of Ohio Wesleyan University; McDowell of Denver University; Harper of the University of Chicago; Hyde of Dartmouth; Gates of Amherst and Rogers of Northwestern University.

University Hall is the oldest building of Brown University. It was erected in 1774, and served as barracks and hospital for the American and French forces during the war of the Revolution. Again in 1861, when the news of war aroused the land, the Union flag was raised above the old hall, and Brown students went forth to fight the battle of their country.

Rev. Sam Small has become a college president, having been elected to that office in Utah University, the new enterprise of the Methodists, at Ogden, Utah. Bishop Vincent, the famous founder of Chautauqua, laid the corner-stone August 5th, with appropriate ceremonies. The buildings are to cost \$500,000, and to maintain them there is said to be a vast endowment.

Smiling fondly, up she gazed,
Resting on his manly arm,
Then her ruby lips were moving,
They were lips would charm
Anchorite or Benedictine,
E'en Saint Antony austere.
And he bent his noble head down,
Listening her sweet voice to hear,
But her words were, "Love, your necktie
Has slipped round beneath your ear."

- Yale Record.

The college editors of Ohio have formed a State Press Association. The move is to be commended. Similar associations should be formed in every state. They would not only increase the interest taken in the papers, but would be productive of much good to all concerned. And right in this connection we are of the opinion that an Interstate College Press Association would be very By means of such an organization each editor could keep his neighbors informed of any important items of news in his own institution, and, by exchanging opinions relative to the management of their papers, each could profit by the experience and judgment of his brother editors. Cannot such a state of affairs be brought about?

Hon. Andrew D. White has an important article in the October number of the North American Review, in relation to the future of American colleges and universities. A well adjusted system, he says, embraces a general public school system, an intermediate college system, and, finally, universities and training schools. In the intermediate colleges he proposes that the Freshman year begin two years earlier than the Freshman year in most of the better colleges at present, and con tinue up to the point reached at the beginning of the junior year. After three years of advanced study at the university, the student would receive his second degree. The present system tends to bring ridicule on higher education in America, and on our colleges and universities.

#### EVOLUTION.

'Tis seven o'clock on a summer's eve,
And the summer's sun is low,
An empty hammock beneath the trees,
In the sweetly scented evening breeze
Swings listlessly to and fro.

'Tis eight o'clock and the sun is gone, And the darkness grows apace, In the hammock sits a maiden fair, While seated near her in a chair, Is a youth with a handsome face.

The clock strikes nine—but what is this?

In the gloom of the moonless night

Two figures, which like one appear,

Swing in the hammock,—hark! and hear!

"Now Jack, who said you might?"

Wm. R. Baird's new edition of his work on American College Fraternities is now in press. This is an excellent work and a copy should be owned by every fraternity man.

An offer is made by the Archæological Institute of America that any school or educational society raising the sum of \$100 to aid the movement to purchase the sight of Delphi, shall receive all the publications of the institute for ten years. Smith College has contributed \$200, Cornell, \$322, Harvard \$1,100, and Princeton guarantees \$500. The sum of \$85 coming from Iowa College was raised from an entertainment given in classic costumes.

I dote on Milton and on Robert Burns;
I love old Marryat, his tales of pelf;
I live on Byron, but my heart most yearns,
Toward those sweet things that I have penned myself.—J. K. Bangs.

The trustees of Johns Hopkins University are considering the proposition to admit women to the new Medical School of the University. As an incentive to favorable action, the ladies propose to raise a fund of \$200,000 for the endowment of the Medical School.—Ex.

"Papa," asked Johnny Withers of his father, who was a graduate of Boomtown University in '58," what is the meaning of 'Semper fidelis?" "Always fiddling, my son. It was a term applied to the Emperor Nero, who swam the Hellespont while Rome was burning," replied the old man.

President Bartlett, of Dartmouth, has issued a circular asking the aid of the parents of sophomores in putting an end to hazing and rushing at Dartmouth. It is probably the first admission on record of this stern old disciplinarian, that he is not equal to any college emergency, unassisted by any one.

The Southern California University is fortunate in securing one of the largest and best telescopes in this country. The lens for this big and costly instrument is being finished by Alvan D. Clark, the noted telescope maker. The accomplishment of the work will require at least three years. The lens is to be three feet four inches in diameter, two and one-half inches thick at the edge. When completed the cost will sum up to \$70,000.

JUST OUR STYLE.

There's many a coat
In the fashion plate—
The spring coat and ulster we see;
They're all very well,
Perhaps, in their way,
But none of them pleases me.

The fashions may come,
And the fashions may go,
And they all may change in a week,
But the nattiest coat,
Is the coat of tan
That rests on the pretty girl's cheek.

#### AMUSEMENTS.

Fabio Romani is a production replete with realistic scenes, powerful representations and engrossing incidents. The story presents a life-like and striking plot, in which the principal point turns on a husband who returns to life after his supposed burial, in time to discover the faithless ness of his wife in all its hideousness. The scene in the tomb of Fabio between him and his fore sworn spouse is thrilling and terrible. Walter Lawrence, who takes the principal part, is a powerful impersonator of the passion and revenge of a wronged husband. His work is realistic and true. A splendid representation is that of John Fav Palmer, who does the false friend with great fidelity and an Iago-like cunning, graceful and treacherous. The other parts are well taken, and the production is one that at once thralls and thrills the spectator with its powerful scenes and its spectacular realism. The play and the players are very far above the average, and deserve large patronage from all classes of the public during the week.— The Empire, Toronto, Oct. 21, 1890.

#### LOCAL MISCELLANY.

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F. J. Schleede, No. 50 S. State st., will bind you books from 25c upwards. Lotus Linen 25c per lb.

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